MISUSE OF PAY ROLLS PLACES OF INTEREST.

Capt, James F. Oyster, President of Board of Education, Declares the Practice Must Be Stopped-Condition of Schools in Southwest Washington Censured-Changes Made.

There is trouble brewing for somebody unless satisfactory and explicit explanation is given at the next meeting of the board of education about the irregular manner in which certain principals of public schools in this city certify to work performed, or, rather, not performed, by teachers.

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Capt. James F. Oyster, president of Navy Yard-Open 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.

Paid on Furlough.

He said there is a case where a teacher had been on furlough for some had filled a position in another department of the government, for which she drew salary, and that when the school pay roll was submitted it was seen that she had attended to her duties at school in a regular and satisfactory manner.

"This practice must be stopped," said Capt. Oyster, in a severe tone, "and I think it would be proper to reinstruct the normal high school committee to investigate the whole matter and report at the next meeting of the board."

Another matter which found Capt. Oyster's censure and criticism was the condition in which certain schools in Southwest Washington are.

"Old shacks are used for school buildand vermin, and I have received complaints from teachers and parents alike,'

It was the opinion of the board that unless sufficient funds are appropriated present deplorable condition would continue to the detriment of those who are compelled to attend those schools.

Resident Scholars Endangered. board adopted the recommendation of police, probably an ancestor of some of Supt. Stuart to request the health officer the Washington officers. to suggest the best means of protecting the children from this danger.

of the College Woman's Club, to conduct with his many humorous fetes. a course of educational lectures in the hall of the McKinley Manual Training School, on six consecutive Friday afternoons, from 4:30 to 6 o'clock, the dates being February 18 and 25 and March 4,

W. V. Cox, a member of the board refair treatment at the hands of the Senate streets. and House committee. He also sub-

schools were announced APPOINTMENTS.
Miss Mildred Earnest, kindergarten assistant

Hyde School,
H. A. Simmons, caretaker of portable school at
the M Street High School, to take effect when
building is turned over to board.
E. A. Bowie, caretaker of portable school at the
Armstrong Manual Training School, to take effect
when building is turned over to board.
E. A. Morris, caretaker of portable school at the
Care School to take offect when building is turned over to board. Orr School, to take effect when building is turned PROMOTIONS.

Miss M. L. Davis, from kindergarten assistant to kindergarten principal, Hyde to the Smallwood MISCELLANEOUS.

Place name of Miss H. E. Crawford on the list of substitute teachers in the graded and high schools. Place names of Mrs. Elizabeth B. Magruder, Miss Lucy B. Bush, and Miss Cora Menaugh on list of substitute teachers in graded schools.

Place name of Miss M. L. Soyder on list of the little teachers in kindorsystem descriptions of the contract of the substitute teachers in kindergarten department of the public schools. Grant extension of leave for three months to Miss L. M. Warman, now on leave of absence.

Want Printing Appropriation.

The Commissioners have asked Congress for an appropriation of \$300 to be used in printing and binding the revised police regulations.

Regulations have been frequently amended and additions made thereto since they were last compiled, the amendments and additions being pasted in the original issue. Under direction of a special committee the old regulations have been revised.

Virginia Pioneer Dies.

One of the oldest citizens of Loudoun County, Va., M. L. Kendrick, died Tuesday at his home, in Waxpool. He was eighty-one years old. He is survived by his wife, Mary A. Kendrick, and three sons, W. A. Kendrick, C. E. Kendrick, and R. E. Kendrick, all of this city.

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> . m. United States Pension Bureau-Open 9 a. m. to 4 . m. United States Post-office-Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m Washington City Peri-office—Open all hours. (The Dead Letter Office is in the city post-office.)
> National Botonic Gardens—Open 8 a. m. to 5

>), m. Fish Commission—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. Army Medical Museum—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. National Museum—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. (in-Agricultural Department-Open 9 a. m. to 4:30

p. m.
Bureau of Engraving and Printing-Open 9 a. m.

the board, at yesterday's meeting gave the startling information that gross irregularities in certifying the pay roll of teachers on the part, of principals had been brought to his attention.

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Rock Creek Bridge and Park.

Chevy Chase and Kensington.
Naval Observatory—Open 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
Mount Vernon (the home and tomb of Washingtime, and that during her absence she ton)-Open 11 a. m. to 4 p. m.
United States Soldiers' Home-Open 9 a. m. to

unneet.
United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.
Arlington National Cemetery.
Fort Myer Military Post. POLICEMEN HOLD SMOKER.

Maj, Sylvester Wants Men to Have More Time at Home.

Policemen's Association held a smoker and entertainment last night in Frances Cameron with "The Merry the Pythian Temple, where they listened to an address by their chief, Maj. Syl-

vester. Mai. Sylvester spoke of the history of ings, and some of them reek with filth said that he had never done police duty, next week in this city. She has been but that his association with his men had singing Sonia for two seasons in the East. made him a policeman in every particular. While she enjoys the part, she claims

which he was proud of. "I want to see the time when this city shall be the best policed in the world." to erect new and sanitary buildings the said Maj. Sylvester. He further said that he hoped the time was not far distant when he would have a reserve force that would justify him in letting the men have

more time at their homes. George W. Wilson entertained the offi-A report from the secretary of the cers with several selection from Shake-Chevy Chase Citizens' Association to the speare, and said that he had often wonhealth officer stated that nonresident dered from what source the great dramachildren visiting the Chevy Chase schools tist got his ideas. But it occurred to him were endangering the children of resi- that the sleep walk in Macbeth might dents with communicable diseases. The have been suggested by some ancient

A song and dance was given by Charles Lewis and Prof. Kehler gave several Upon recommendation of Supt. Stuart poetical selections. E. Lawrence Phillips permission was granted to the president was on hand and amused the audience

FOR PROTECTION OF HORSES.

Supt. Wood Wants Cleaning Machines to Remove Slipperyness.

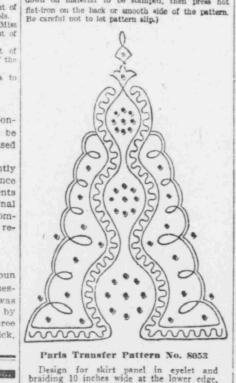
Supt. Wood, of the street-cleaning deported on his conference with the Con- partment, said yesterday that with three ssional committee on schools and said Street Washing machines he believes h he thought the schools were receiving could remove the slipperyness from the

There are in Washington 1,000,000 square mitted the House bill to establish and yards of slippery asphalt, and with was disburse a public school teacher's retire- ing machines with a daily capacity of cleaning 60,000 yards he can keep the streets in a clean and safe condition.

terday, Justice Gould adjourned court until next Monday, after directing the summoning of seventy-five additional one week's vacation afterward in which this week, as such procedure might next Monday night.

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THE NEW NATIONAL. The musical comedy hit of two seasons, by the authors of "Bright Eyes." Clifton Craw-ford and Mayme Gehrue. From start to finish a riot of song and fun. ...At 8:15

THE BELASCO. 'The Beauty Spo .. At 8:15 Comedian Jefferson De Angelis frolicking is the Herbert-Pe Koven musical comedy about the lady with a mole on her knee. Big beauty chorus a feature.

THE GAYETY. .. At 2:15 and 8:15 "The Yankee Dood's Girls"......At 2:15 and 8:15

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Widow." Miss Frances Cameron, whose Oriental fill. beauty, together with her many talents, have made her such a favorite, as the policing and said that New York copied prima donna of "The Merry Widow" comher system after that of London. He pany, will make her second appearance that there is just one city in the union

SINGS TITLE ROLE.



formances completely prostrated her, so much so that Mr. Savage had to give her Columbia-Kyoto and Japan of Toto rest. "The Merry Widow" will be at the New National for one week beginning

Belasco-Eleanor Robsen.

Eleanor Robson will appear at the Belasco Theater next week in "The Dawn of a To-morrow," by Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett. Miss Robson appears as Glad, a street waif, and the story concerns itself with the saving of Sir Oliver Holt. Sir Oliver, after a long career as a London financial power, is on the verge of a mental collapse. Seeing ahead of him only the blankness and living death of imbecility, Sir Oliver decides to make away with himself. He secretly purchases a shabby suit of clothes and a revolver, and slips away to the heart of the east end of London, where the suicide of one poorly dressed unfortunate more or less will attract little notice. But through the fog of disreputable Apple Blossom Court. a red-headed, white-faced elf, with the philosophy of life distinctly her own, comes to the rescue of the downcast tells him his relief lies in "Thinkin' 'bout denizens of the court-and in a twinkling per, who was willingly standing on the pell-mell through the fog and filth of of Carnegie Hall." Apple Blossom Court, dodging garbage cans and hot coffee carts until he returns The Gayety-"Girls from Happy- Henry Schneider. The plaintiff bases the victorious, with the red-headed girl's coin in his hand. He does more than this, he aids the girl to prove her sweetheart in- ing week the attraction will be the "Girls ed him with persecuting Joe Schladt, promuch happiness to Apple Bossom Court feature. that he becomes happier himself-and very much healthier. Miss Robson's com- cinating, and well-shaped young women pany is the same that appeared with her for six months in New York last season.

The Columbia-"A Fool There Was." The newest Frederic Thompson production, "A Fool There Was," with Robert will next week have an opportunity of Va., was entitled to the piano. Hilliard as the star, comes to the Co- seeing the two people first created in this lumbia on Monday next for a week. world, when Adam and Eve meet in the Vivid pictorially is a scene upon the deck of an outgoing ocean liner, where of "Town Talk." This show is a novelty, the fool and his temptress are first and is unlike any other production seen thrown together, that is a marvel of on any stage, inasmuch as it deals with stage realism. Dramatically, there is a a new idea, a theme that is purely origlast act, led up to episodes scarcely less inal, the beginning and end of the world. absorbing, where Hilliard gives a por- The book and lyrics were written by trayal of the agony of a tortured soul Barney Gerard, author of "Follies of the that has been called the most tense and Day," which made such a big hit last thrilling since Mansfield depicted the last season. The music was written by Albert noments of that strange dual personality, Von Tilzer, who also composed the "Fol-Jekyll and Hyde. But there is a reverse lies of the Day" music.

side to the play, abounding in life and gayety and cheerful humor. No east of recent years has excited greater praise than that selected by Frederic Thompson who is also responsible for the splendid staging. The original players, all retained, include William Courtleigh, Nanette Comstook, Mrs. Henderson, Emily Wurster, a remarkable child; Edna Conroy, S. K. Walker, George Clare, M. B. Snyder, C. Russell Sage, and a score of

Belasco-Hammer Symphony Or-

chestra. On Friday afternoon at 4:45 Beethoven's sixth (Pastoral) and eighth symphonies will be presented at the Belasco Theater by the Heinrich Hammer Symphony Orches tra. These two majestic compositions, written about 103 years ago, mark the fourth concert in the cycle of Beethoven Symphonies being given by this organization under the direction of Heinrich Hammer, who has been the recipient of universal

For the sixth symphony the most elaborate indication of Beethoven's Intentions are obtained by notations written on the first violin part of this symphony when phony; or, Recollections of Country Life," terity. Beethoven has written: First movement, itude to God,

up to joyous light-heartedness in movephony may not touch the extreme heights holders that you represent. and depths of the spirit as some of the

Chase's-Nat Wills, Nat M. Wills will hold a levee of

the loyal legion of polite vaudeville lovers will, as usual, fill every nook and cranny of the big playhouse. Nat is Washington's favorite comic son, and his one or more annual appearances here are indeed red letter events in the local amusement calendar. This time he will offer fresh by any method which will not stand full optimism and oracularity in the guise and public discussion to thwart any of songs, parodies, and peculiarities attack that may be made upon the inter-Laughter once started by him will grow ests committed to your care. You can, I as fast as a mammoth snowball rolling believe, trust the people, if they under down hill. His reflections upon things stand the situation, much better than personal, social, political, and otherwise you can trust those who are purchasare reported from New York, where he able, or run the risk in the future of has been playing an extended engage. reaping the Larvest which must inevitment, to be the funniest he has ever ably be reaped if there is sown in our perpetrated. The supplementary leading legislative halls the seeds of bribery and position of honor will be filled by beauti- corruption. ful Eleanor Gordon, theatrically famous don will present "Tips on Tap," a rapid agement of these companies for the se-little comedy dealing with racing. Third curity of their homes, the protection of Old Point 5 m. m., Wed., Fri., Sun., arriving Wash. don will present "Tips on Tap, a rapid curity of their homes, the protection of their homes, the protection of their wives and children. I think there among the principal offerings will be the their wives and children. I think there ington 6 a, m.

Those Main 5912, or Hable's Ticket Office, National Hotel. Naples." A sensational feature will be great business that any attempt to se provided by the Vivians, who are said to cure a favor from an insurance departbe wonderful sharpshooters, and who give ment, to prevent an examination, or to a series of astonishing feats in their act modify a correct report, would be reentitled "The Mystic Chimes." Frank garded as an act of treachery to the Orth and Harry Fern will be conspicuous rio in a European offering exploiting men who are engaged in it. narvelous muscularity, "Lightning" Hopper, the comic cartoonist, who puts a laugh in every stroke of his chalk, and are human. You cannot depend exclu-

day. In marked contrast to the up-to-date at the Columbia Theater, Sunday night, has come upon the name of his State." "The old Japan of to-day." Taking his fellow-travelers from Tokyo to Kyoto, to be shown in "The old Japan of to-day" New York, responded. of actual conditions.

Columbia-Yolanda Mero. stranger. She guesses his purpose and appeared with the famous Philharmonic ferently in every State, and advised some sompin' else." She interests him in the clamation that all doubt as to her great officers. squalld life of herself and her associates. future was dispelled. Mile. Mero has since. At both morning and afternoon sessions and already he begins to feel better. He visited Berlin, Leipzig, and other centers informal discussions followed the set adgives her money for food-it is snatched of Germany, and in the early fall of 1998 dresses, all along the lines of opinions as from her hand by one of the thieving appeared for the first time in London, to uniform laws and equal taxes in each where she gave a series of recitals. Of State. Sir Oliver, the man who but a few hours her American debut, less than three before could scarcely speak above a whis- months ago, the New York Herald said: "Another star flashed across the New brink of death, is racing after the thief, York musical horizon last night, by way the Spectator Publishing Company were

land."

At the Gayety Theater during the comnocent of a crime with which he had from Happyland," with Billy W. Watson, prietor of the West Washington Hotel. been charged, and, altogether, brings so the German comedian, as the principal The story referred to the captain as a

A beauty chorus of thirty bright, fasare kept busy with the introduction of many novel ensembles.

Lyceum-"Adam and Eve."

Patrons of the New Lyceum Theater A. C. Priest, residing near Alexandria,

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Address Before National Life Insurance Presidents a Warning Against Corruption as an Evil Which Posterity Reaps with Bitter Interest-Two Sessions Held.

Gov. Charles E. Hughes, of New York, pointed a finger of scorn at old insur approbation for his authoritative conduct- ance methods in his address yesterday afternoon before the Association of Life Insurance Presidents at its third annual convention in the New Willard Hotel. He warned against legislative corrupit was first performed. Regarding the tion, the evils of which, he said, would various movements of this "Pastoral Sym- be reaped with bitter interest by pos-

"I hope the time is gone when it will the pleasant feelings aroused in the be thought at all necessary to protect heart on arriving in the country; second the interests of life insurance policy movement, scene at the brook; third holders by efforts to corrupt legislators," movement, jovial assemblage of country he said. "I hope that every desire to folk; fourth movement, thunder storm approach in an indirect manner those future by its absence. Publicity, discus-In the eighth symphony, called by sion, fair understanding of what you Beethoven "a little symphony," the com- have in view and what is essential to poser seems to rest and to give himself the proper conduct of the life insurance business. These are your guarantees, ments of sunshine and humor. This sym- and these are the securities of the policy

"There has been from time to time nine do, but it has no less its own place in the past secret combinations of inin the circle which nothing but itself can terests for the purpose of affecting legislation throughout the country, sometimes with a good purpose, to prevent that which was deemed to be inimical; at other times with a purpose which, aughter at Chase's all next week, and from no point of view, could be com-

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"We must realize that governmental as the star of the Boston Theater stock agencies are of great importance to proompany. With a fine company of play- tect adequately the people who are deers, including Joseph Sullivan, Miss Gor- pendent upon the safe and honest mandon will present "Tips on Tap," a rapid agement of these companies for the sewhole insurance business, and receive its un-raisers in "Sing that Book." Other just condemnation from the many, the attractive numbers include the Mario great majority, the honorable and able

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Steller H. Christic Mulmar F. Bradford and Earnest got schools-Teachers of typical claims and physical secret, tacher of more founding for william for william for the following appointments, promotions, and other changes in the personnel of the schools were announced.

**Notice: The Merry W. Savage's production of "The Merry Wildow."

The Academy—Sal, the Circus Girl."

A good idea of circus life with a travelland company is offered in the latest and the reason is very plain. She same fall was a matter of protection to horse.

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A good idea of circus life with a travelland company is offered in the latest and the reason is very plain. She same fall was a full was State department, existing for the purpose of protecting those who cannot protect themselves, has been faithless and that in consequence managers intrusted with fiduciary obligations have proved Japan shown in the Burton Holmes recreant to their duty. Every citizen must Travelogue last week, will be the subject blush when he realizes that such a stain

Business of the Session. President S. C. Dunham called the con Mr. Kramer will there show to them the vention to order yesterday morning at many wonderfully picturesque phases of 16:30 o'clock, and Thomas E. Drake. the daily life of the Japanese in a locality superintendent of insurance in the Dis as yet comparatively uncontaminated by trict, welcomed the delegates on behalf contact with the world of the tourist and of the citizens of the Capital. Robert the commercial traveler. As in last Lynn Cox, general counsel of the Asso week's Japaneses lecture, every picture ciation of Life Insurance Presidents of

will be absolutely new-the colored lan- John A. Hartigan, of Minnesota, was tern slides being unusually beautiful, and called upon for the first address on the the motion pictures particularly quaint topic of the day, "Uniformity of State and interesting as "scene-transferences" laws." He declared confusion and injustice to policy holders was resulting from a variety of State laws and taxes instead of a uniform policy.

Yolanda Mero, the noted Hungarian George 11. Noyes, of Milwaukee, held planiste will be heard in a recital at the that uniform interpretation of laws is Columbia Theater to-morrow afternoon, just as important as uniform statutes. at 4:30 o'clock. At Dresden, where she He said laws are now interpreted dif-Orchestra, she was hailed with much ac- form of general co-operation by State

Police Captain Sues for Libel

yesterday made defendants in a suit for damages of \$25,000 filed by Police Cant suit upon a story printed in Brickbats and Bouquet last May. He says it charg-

Charles McKinley, Joseph Schladt, and

Lodge Holds a Banquet. Myron M. Parker Lodge, No. 27, F. A. and A. M., held a banquet on Tuesday evening, which was largely attended and enjoyed. Announcement was made that

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